IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Title:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Attached to the Amendment is the Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of Dr. Victoria [X] Sutton, referenced on page 11 of the Amendment.
- [X]Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[\mathbf{X}] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims									
	As		Previously		Claims				Additional	
	Amended		Paid For		Present		Rate		Claims Fee	
Total Claims:	25	-	24	=	1	Х	\$50.00	=	\$50.00	
Independent Claims:	6	-	6	=	0	X	\$200.00	=	\$0.00	
First p	resentation of	of ar	ıy Multiple I	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$360.00	= -	\$0.00	
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	_	\$50.00	

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$120.00	Extension for response filed within the first month:	[
\$450.00] Extension for response filed within the second month:	[
\$1,020.00	[X] Extension for response filed within the third month:	[X				
\$1,590.00] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[
\$2,160.00] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:						
\$130.00	Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):					
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:						
X] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):						
Extension Fees Previously Paid:						
TOTAL FEE:						
	\$450.00 \$1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00 N FEE TOTAL: \$130.00 R FEE TOTAL: act ½ of above): Previously Paid:	Extension for response filed within the second month: [2] Extension for response filed within the third month: [3] Extension for response filed within the fourth month: [4] Extension for response filed within the fourth month: [5] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: [6] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: [7] Extension FEE TOTAL: [8] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): [8] CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL: [9] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): [9] Extension Fees Previously Paid:				

The above-identified fees of \$535.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to

Deposit Account No. 50-2350. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-2350.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2350.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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